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NEW SPEAKER FOR CONGRESS

Henderson Has Refused To Be Returned to Washington.

MAY RECONSIDER

Contest Among Congressmen Who Wish To Succeed Him.

MANY DESIRE HONOR

(Special By Scripps-McClellan.) Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—Speaker Henderson has sent a formal refusal to run for congress to friends here. Men who know him believe he will re-consider his determination as they think that he made it when he was plighted. Now the question is, who will succeed him as speaker?

Many Are Mentioned

Cannon, of Illinois; Littlefield, of Maine; Burton, of Ohio; Sherman, of New York; Hepburn, of Iowa; Payne, of New York; Dalsell, of Pennsylvania; and Grosvenor of Ohio. All of these men have friends in the house and the contest will be a hotly contested one.

Cannon Working

It is believed that Cannon has the best chance thus far although there is liable to be some opposition to him owing to his action on the treasury questions. He has the nickname of "Watch dog of the treasury." He is making a campaign for the office.

STRIKE DELAYS THE WHITE HOUSE

The Painters Employed Want Men Discharged Who Do Not Belong to the Union.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—(Special).—Labor troubles may upset the plans of President Roosevelt and his family, as thirty painters employed at the White House struck yesterday. This action may delay the completion of the work, and the elaborate social program mapped out for the winter may be interfered with. The trouble is not caused by the inadequacy of pay or long hours, as Uncle Sam always pays union wages and does not work his mechanics more than eight hours. The difficulty grew out of the employment of four painters, members of the Amalgamated Association of Painters of New York.

Fight Among Unions

There is a bitter fight between the members of that organization and those of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers, affiliated with the American Federation. This rivalry was caused by the brotherhood entering New York city, a field which was exclusively in control of the Amalgamated association. The contest is of years' standing.

BELOIT DOES NOT BELIEVE IN POMP

Corner Stone of the Carnegie Library Laid Yesterday, with No Ceremony at All.

Without any public ceremonies the corner stone of the new Carnegie library in Beloit was laid yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. No grading had been done about the building, which is located directly across Bridge street from the High school and it would have been impossible for an audience to get within an accessible distance of the corner stone. So all formality was dispensed with.

Contained Papers

Within the stone was placed the correspondence with Andrew Carnegie, prior to the gift, the names of the city council and officials, the list of the school and library boards, and in addition copies of the daily papers and other documents of public interest were inclosed.

DAILY GRIND AT JUSTICE COURTS

Failure to Pay All for a Bicycle Causes Trouble for the Purchaser.

\$17.33 was the judgment given in Justice Reeder's court Tuesday afternoon for C. H. Burgess against Chas. Schultz, E. H. Ryan appearing for the defendant. The charge of the plaintiff was that Mr. Schultz had purchased a bicycle and some sundries from him, the wheel being marked \$30, and did not pay for them. Later he returned the wheel and was allowed \$20 for it, but the \$10 balance as well as the price of the sundries was still forthcoming.

It was to recover this that Mr. Burgess brought suit, and after hearing the evidence, his honor, the justice, agreed that the plaintiff was in the right.

Two Other Cases

Jesse Earle disposed of two cases this morning. In the first, that of Hannah Arquette against Fred Youtry, adjournment was set to September 25.

Judgment for \$26.68 and costs was given in favor of Helen Winston vs. B. W. Hubbard.

ENGLISH NAVY IS GREATLY IMPROVED

Lord Beresford Makes a Report to the British Naval Department.

New York, Sept. 17.—(Special).—Rear Admiral Lord Charles Beresford of the British navy, who arrived yesterday from Europe on the Kron-Prinz Wilhelm, was asked for his opinion on various topics. He said: "I have no more criticisms to make on our army and navy. They have improved greatly since the South African war. I think the world learned, by the Boer war, of what great valuable heavy guns are."

Untried As Yet

"The latest addition to our navy, submarine boats, are largely an unknown quality. The only trouble with them now is that they are not able to take care of themselves. They have to be carried on warships from place to place."

"When you ask me about the shipbuilding combine, I must confess that we are little frightened, not at the probabilities, but at the possibilities of such a combination of interests. It is ridiculous to talk of England's forming a rival combination. We cannot compete with your railways and it is well known that it is the through rate that pays."

"Your recent naval maneuvers I have been watching with interest. They are practical. England did not have enough of them in the past. My idea is to teach young men to become admirals. These maneuvers also prevent men from going to war as an experiment. A sham battle teaches the sailors more than all their school ship training."

STATE NOTES

Gamblers have taken possession of Neenah during the carnival in that city.

Mayor Rose will open his Milwaukee campaign next Saturday evening at Schlitz park.

Plans for a new dormitory for Yale college have been prepared and the contract will soon be let.

St. Norbert's college, conducted by the Norbertine fathers will open its fall term of Dupree Thursday.

A Milwaukee burglar took one-half of the money which he found in a safe and left the other half.

On the lake just off Kenosha the Little yacht Carrie B. and seven passengers were nearly drowned during a heavy gale.

Members of the B'nai Yeshurin congregation of Racine have brought suit for the recovery of a Jewish Bible valued at \$250.

A spike laid on the rail at the scene of the fatal railroad wreck near Milwaukee Saturday, has led to the arrest of several suspects.

The soldiers' monument for Fond du Lac which was expected to arrive about the 15th of this month, has not yet been received.

While oiling an elevator shaft in the Milwaukee Brick company's works Fred Dorow was caught and dashed to death.

Joseph Knorr of Hamilton, O., was elected president of the National Brewers who were in convention at Milwaukee.

Children playing with matches at Milwaukee destroyed grain stacks and granary, altogether containing 1,000 bushels of grain.

At Chippewa Falls the Northern Wisconsin state fair opened under auspicious circumstances.

Racine's new depot for the C. & N. W. railroad has been completed at a cost of \$80,000 and thrown open for use.

In the LaCrosse circuit court several complaints have been filed bringing action for damages caused by recent floods.

Plainfield will begin its schools on the 29th and will have a new brick school house ready for occupancy by that time.

Little Agnes Fungar, of LaCrosse, the victim of an assault some months ago, was again fired upon. Although the bullets did not hit her she fainted from fright.

William Huhl, the tramp, who assaulted the nine-year-old daughter of Asst. Atty. Buell of Madison was sent to prison for six months.

Arnold Kross of Horicon narrowly escaped death from the accidental discharge of a gun, which his hunting companion was carrying.

William Volkman of Milwaukee, a consumptive for two and half years, ended his sufferings by taking a dose of carbolic acid while his wife was gone from the room.

While threshing on a farm near Baraboo a separator and eleven stacks of grain were burned. Two horses were almost burned to death in trying to save the machine.

Casimir Gonski of Milwaukee has been mourning the loss of four twenty dollar bills, which he dropped in the court house in a moment of abstraction.

Smith was the name given by the wild man who has been scaring inhabitants along the Lake Superior shore and who was finally captured at Houghton.

Charles Bauer of Oshkosh received a telegram calling him to the sick bed of his son Arthur, who is a trombone player, now with Sousa at Atlantic City.

Milwaukee county authorities, the associated charities, and other organizations will buy soft coal to keep Milwaukee's poor from freezing this winter.

It is said that a letter has been received by Immanuel Presbyterian church of Milwaukee expressing regret at the words of censure which have been uttered regarding Rev. Lee's statement of his salary.

BUCKSTAFF AND STOUT SHOW UP THE HARVEY BUSINESS

Claim Is Made That La Follette Received the Money Raised from the Independent Book Companies To Defeat the School Superintendent.

Since the State Central committee has failed to investigate the state, steps opposite the Park hotel and related the story to him. He asked me to take no steps in the matter but to give the matter to the public just as it came to us and let the public judge of the matter itself. Mr. Theodore Kronshage told us that he went to Chicago and received the \$2,000 in question from an agent of Ginn & Co. on the sole condition that a candidate was to be brought into the field against Mr. Harvey and that the further sum of from \$5,000 to \$10,000 was to be contributed if the campaign against Mr. Harvey was successful. He stated that he put the money received in a bank in Milwaukee to his own credit and then sent his checks for the same to Governor LaFollette. (Signed).

GEORGE A. BUCKSTAFF, Oshkosh, Wis., Sept. 12.

J. H. STOUT, Menomonie, Wis., Sept. 13.

Statement By Buckstaff.

Mr. Buckstaff also made public the following statement:

I met Theodore Kronshage Tuesday evening, July 15, at the Park hotel, Madison. I criticised him severely for his attitude toward Stupt. Harvey and the stories that he was circumspect, endeavoring to defeat Mr. Harvey. After a heated discussion, in which we were attracting the attention of the by-standers in the lobby, he invited me to take a walk with him where he could more fully discuss the reason for his opposition to Mr. Harvey. I went with him out on the street and walked with him three-quarters of an hour or more. He told me that Mr. Harvey had sent to the county superintendents a list of names to be used in his office and that Mr. Harvey had afterward given this list to the Eleventh Floor League for their use, and also stated that Mr. Parker, in Mr. Harvey's office had been furnishing information and assistance to the league in his work about the state. He said these matters were brought to the attention of the governor, who was very much provoked by it. Mr. Kronshage said that the independent book companies had also complained that Mr. Harvey was favoring the American Book company against them. This, he said, had also been reported to the governor. He said that he had called on the governor some weeks before the convention and that the governor had told him that he was in very hard financial straits and must raise money somewhere to continue his campaign for renomination.

Mr. Kronshage said that he suggested that Harvey was not in sympathy with the governor politically, and that the independent book companies were very bitter against him because of his discrimination against them, and he said that he (Kronshage) suggested that he go to Chicago and see the agents of the independent book companies and get them to subscribe to the governor's campaign fund on condition that the governor's friends would put up a candidate to oppose Harvey for renomination.

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Governor Consents

The governor, Mr. Kronshage said, at first was reluctant to do this, because Mr. Harvey was a very close friend of Senator Stout, who was very anxious for his renomination, while the governor was on friendly terms with Senator Stout and wished to continue so; but Mr. Kronshage stated that the governor finally consented, and said that if the arrangement was made that he would abide by it.

Mr. Kronshage said he then went to Chicago and saw the agents of Ginn & Co., who, he said, agreed to get contributions from about fifteen independent book companies to be used in the governor's campaign fund if a candidate was put up against Harvey. Mr. Kronshage said the book companies didn't have much faith that Harvey could be defeated, but were willing to risk \$2,000 and if Harvey was defeated would make a very liberal subscription to the governor's campaign fund, which Mr. Kronshage told me would not be less than \$5,000 and might reach \$10,000. Mr. Kronshage mentioned the names of three companies who contributed only two of which I remember. He gave the name of the man who gave him the money, who is an agent of Ginn & Co., Chicago. Mr. Kronshage interspersed this story with statements against the character and conduct of Mr. Harvey, as well as his unfairness to the independent book companies.

W. H. Flett Hears the Statement. I left Mr. Kronshage between 10 and 11 o'clock and very soon after met Mr. W. H. Flett of Merrill on the

FORM COAL TRUST IN INDIANA AUTHORESS SHOT FOR A BIRD

Combine of Dealers in Four Cities Said to Control Prices.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 17.—Coal dealers in South Bend, Mishawaka, Elkhart and Goshen have formed, it is declared, what is practically a trust, the name of the organization being the Black Diamond club. One man fixes the price at which every dealer in hard coal in Elkhart, South Bend, Goshen and Mishawaka will sell coal to the public. The organization which has control of the market in these cities is subordinate to the coal dealers' association of Michigan and Indiana. Unlike most organizations for the maintenance of prices, the so-called trust has an effective method of enforcing its regulations.

Mrs. Julia K. Barnes in Hospital as Result of Hunter's Error.

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 17.—Mrs. Julia K. Barnes, society woman and author of "The Annals of a Country Town," was accidentally shot at Mantowish, Wis. During a walk in the woods she sat down on a log. A hunter saw her hat and, thinking it a partridge, shot at the supposed bird. The shots took effect in Mrs. Barnes' face. She may lose the sight of one eye.

Felic Bank Robbers.

Westville, Ind., Sept. 17.—An attempt was made to rob the Citizens' bank. The robbers were discovered, a passer-by seeing them working at the safe, but they succeeded in escaping.

After reading Marie Corelli's "Mighty Atom," the 19-year-old son of an English clergyman was moved to commit suicide dressed in his father's cassock.

Republican leaders of the senate met in an important conference at Oyster Bay yesterday to compare views on the tariff revision with President Roosevelt, preliminary to the latter's western tour.

Strikers Attack Supply Train, But Police Repulse Them.

MUCH EXCITEMENT

Troops Are Sent to the Scene of Riot and Disperse Strikers.

SAN FRANCISCO A WEAK VESSEL

An Inquiry as to Its Faults Will Soon Be Made by Competent Judges.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—Secretary Moody will order an investigation to ascertain who is responsible for the defects which have so badly crippled the cruiser San Francisco, which will arrive at New York in a short time. The return from the European station so soon after joining the squadron in those waters has given rise to considerable criticism in naval circles, and it is probable that a court of inquiry will be held to determine the responsibility for its disabled condition.

Critical Weakness

It has been reported to the navy department that its inner bottom is weak, that the bracing under the boiler saddles has buckled, and the cement in the double bottoms cracked; and this, not from any stress of the weather, but merely in squadron steaming, at a speed of fourteen knots. The weakness of the hull beneath the boilers is said to have caused the boilers to settle and has brought such a strain on the steam pipes as to render them a source of grave anxiety.

Unwelcome News

The ship's enforced return is a great disappointment to the navy department, as well as to Admiral Crowninshield, for the Illinois, Chicago, San Francisco, and Albany formed a speedy squadron, and the Nashville, the only other vessel in the Mediterranean, is too slow to render possible the squadron evolutions that Admiral Crowninshield had in view preparatory to joining the mobilized fleet at Culebra next winter.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Monday was a quiet day among the anthracite strikers.

Twelve lives were lost in the forest fires in Washington.

\$30,000 for night schools has been set apart by the Chicago board of education.

The ninety-third annual meeting of the A. B. C. F. M. will be held at Oberlin, O., Oct. 14-17.

Inhabitants of the Philippines have been greatly alarmed by the growing activity of three volcanoes.

John A. Dowie hoped to convert H. H. Booth, the youngest son of the Salvation Army commander.

Whipping as a corrective measure in penal institutions was advocated by a Toronto prison warden.

J. K. Hale, Jr., in a New York interview blamed Evelyn Baldwin for the failure of the polar expedition.

Lieutenant Peary will soon land in New York on the relief ship which is bringing him back from the far north.

Chicago packing houses were given an ultimatum to employ only Packing Trades Council workmen in the future.

It has been reported that the transfer of Delagoa Bay, in Portuguese South Africa to Great Britain is imminent.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland opened the Dutch parliament in person and delivered a speech from the throne.

Judge Septimus J. Hanna of Boston expounded in Chicago the doctrines to which Christian Scientists must subscribe.

Roman Catholics in London received word of the massacre of between

WISCONSIN GIRL WITH SKINNER

MISS JANE BUTT IS IN LOVE
WITH STAGE LIFE.

SAYS SKINNER IS A DARLING

Members of the Company Idolize
Him—Interesting Story of Miss
Butt's Debut.

With the people of Janesville the annual visit of Otto Skinner is always the leading dramatic event of the year, but unusual interest centered in the appearance of his company at the Myers Grand Monday evening, owing to the fact that the cast included Miss Jane Butt, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, a sister of Miss Butt, one of the instructors at the State School for the Blind and a young woman who is personally well known in this city by those who have attended the university during the past six years.

A Unexpected Debut.

The history of Miss Butt's entrance into the profession is an interesting one. On the Friday morning preceding the holiday vacation of last year she was hearing classes in dramatic reading at the university. Friday afternoon she was in Chicago holding an interview with Mr. Skinner and on the following Monday evening she made her debut on the professional stage as a court lady in "Francesca da Rimini."

From School to Stage.

This decisive step from the refinement of university circles into the glare of footlights was a great surprise to her friends and relatives and even to Miss Butt herself. No one knew that she was contemplating any such change, society and university circles were astonished and her debut created a sensation in Chicago and New York as well as in Wisconsin.

A Society Girl.

Miss Butt is a daughter of Col. Butt, of Viroqua, and won more than local fame in her gifted work in the amateur theatricals at Madison. She was associated with Walter Pyre, the other Wisconsin member of Mr. Skinner's company, as assistant instructor in oratory and dramatic readings. Mr. Pyre forsook the university for the stage some time before Miss Butt did.

Family Opposition.

At Monday's rehearsal Miss Butt chaffed freely with a representative of the Gazette. "How did I happen to leave the university? Why it was all very simple and very sudden. I had always longed to become a professional actress but my family was opposed to it and preferred to have me continue my work of instruction at the university. Father isn't reconciled even now. The position at the university came unsolicited and some how or other my path seemed to be continually laid in the opposite direction from my ambition.

Nervous over the Meeting.

"Then this opportunity came to meet Mr. Skinner in Chicago. I left my classes on Friday and I confess I was very nervous over the meeting, having never met many professional people. But professional people are just like other persons and Mr. Skinner was very kind to me. He told me I might stay and play with him the next week in Chicago on trial if I liked. It quite took my breath away for my object in meeting him was rather indefinite. I wanted to see if there would be any opening for the fall and I had not fully determined whether I would accept it if there was.

Had No Baggage.

"Nevertheless I stayed in Chicago and went with the company to New York. I had no personal baggage except a small hand satchel. When I went to Chicago I did not take even a night dress with me as I expected to return home that night for the holidays. My trunk was sent to me after I reached New York.

Loves the Work.

"How do I like the work? I love it. It has only one drawback, its uncertainty. No one ever knows just what is going to take with the public, in fact one is never really sure of being able to make a living. There are pathetic things too. Between Friday evening's performance and the coming to this city, Mr. and Mrs. Skinner and Mrs. Skinner's sister, Dot Durbin, who is also a member of the company, have been to Chicago and buried Mrs. Skinner's and Miss Durbin's father. They feel the bereavement very deeply and we all feel very sorry for them.

Delightful People.

"Mr. and Mrs. Skinner are both the most delightful people and the company is an ideal one. I sometimes think I am not competent to judge of theatrical life in general because I have been so exceptionally fortunate. But then I do not think I would have been willing to have gone in any company but Mr. Skinner's. He is a darling and we all adore him. He could wipe the earth with any one of us and we would still praise him.

An Ideal Company.

"I really believe we have the best company in the world. One gentleman has been with Richard Mansfield nine years, another has been with Henry Irving and still another has been Henry Miller's leading support. In fact we have several members of the former Mansfield companies, including Miss Comstock, the girl over there in blue. She is a darling little woman. These people idolize Mr. Skinner the same as I do and say his equal is not to be found on the stage. Some of the older gentlemen in the company look in perfect amazement at the smiling way in which Mr. Skinner takes things which they admit would drive them furious. Mr. Skinner is a gentleman as well as an artist.

A Difficult Part.

"How do I like my part this year? It is a good part and rather a difficult one, broken in broken English dialect. I enjoy it although it is not in my line. I prefer serious work and feel out of my element when I am trying to make people smile. Still I am proud and please-

that it was entrusted to me for all last year I was simply a court lady and didn't have a single line. I am very happy in my work and much as I regretted leaving the university atmosphere which I enjoyed heartily, I would not be willing to abandon the career on which I am just now entering."

Winning Fame.

Miss Butt's rapid advancement has been a source of gratification to her many friends. Both Mr. and Mrs. Skinner commend her work highly and she certainly won laurels for herself by her intelligent and talented work Monday evening. It is expected that the appearance of the company at Madison, which has been delayed until after the university opens, will be made a university event, both Miss Butt and Mr. Pyre having been so recently connected with the state educational institution.

NEW CEMENT WALKS AROUND CITY HALL

Work on Them Will Be Begun Tomorrow—W. J. Cannon Has the Contract.

The building committee of the council have mapped out a plan for cement walks about the new city hall that will add very materially to the looks of the building and its surroundings. Already a force of men are at work grading up the lot and removing the debris caused by the construction of the building. Tomorrow morning G. D. Cannon will start on the construction of the walks.

The walk leading up to the main entrance of the building will be 21 feet wide, with a curbing on each side to protect the walk and hold up the dirt after the lot is leveled up. The main entrance walk will lead to the twelve foot walls on the Jackson street front which will also be protected by a curbing.

On the Wall street front there will be an eight foot walk leading to the entrance on that side.

There will also be a heavy cement curbing along the side of the lot adjoining the alley way.

When completed the system of walks will be a great improvement to the lot and will be in keeping with the new building.

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS BEGIN CAMPAIGN

Gaylord, the State Organizer, Is Now in Janesville, Looking After the Field.

Winfred R. Gaylord, state organizer of the social democratic party was in the city yesterday, and will remain until tomorrow morning. While here he will devote his time to conferences with leading local members of the party which he represents. No public talking will be done until on or about October 1, when Mr. Gaylord will give a campaign address in this city. The present work is preparatory to putting a county ticket in the field.

Fun at Forward.

Thursday afternoon, Mr. Gaylord says he expects to participate in an interesting political pow-wow at Forward.

A large picnic will be given on that date and speakers will represent the republican, democrat and prohibition parties. To make the gathering complete Mr. Gaylord will also address the assemblage.

FRANCIS MURPHY EPIGRAMS

After all, love is the thing. When the Yankee boy has any fighting to do, he does it right.

What the world needs is more love and a deeper trust in God.

Thank God for such men as Carnegie, Rockefeller and Morgan.

Never break your promise to a boy. If you must disappoint him, explain it to him.

Women, you have the key to knowledge and power and we men are your subjects.

The Francis Murphy Temperance League is no place for political scheming.

Don't be jealous of the millionaires. Make a little money yourself. It's a good thing.

This is the only country in the world where a poor boy can become a millionaire.

It is a great thing to have a friend who is willing to bank for you when you aren't worth a cent.

The church of Christ is at a great disadvantage when its wealthy members use wine on their tables.

It is a great thing for a man to be well matched; a great thing for a woman to have a good yoke.

The public school of America is the greatest institution in the world, with the exception of the church.

Jesus Christ is a success and what ever salt there is in this broad land is found in the churches of Christ.

God bless foreign missions, the Hittites, the Jebusites and the Chinese, but don't forget the Janesvilleites.

It is time to stop throwing stones at the rich men. That sort of abuse has been altogether too popular. The country needs the rich men, God bless them.

It is a difficult thing to make a workingman believe that times are hard when he sits down with a carving knife in front of a great roast of beef.

When you want a revival in the church, don't send for an evangelist. Do a little work yourself. Call on your neighbor and ask him to go to church.

Maryed men sometimes think their yoke is a misfit. Examining the yoke, dear, and see if it isn't your own fault. Perhaps you twirl your neck when you ought not to.

It is a wonderful thing, the interest of neighbors. What sympathy they feel for a newly married man! If there are any of that kind of neighbors here today, make up your mind to take a rest.

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists on guarantee to benefit or money refunded.

Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

made McKinley a witness to the universe and set him on high because he had known His name.

If you haven't time to read a chapter in the Bible with your wife before going to business, clasps hands with her and repeat the Lord's prayer together. If you can't find time for that, then tack a copy of the Lord's prayer up over the dining table, look at it and say, "There's my sentiments."

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Miss Winnie Davis is visiting in Fort Atkinson.

WILL REALLY START THURSDAY

Yeager Says Work on the Janesville Post Office Will Begin in the Morning.

Yesterday morning a representative of Yeager & Son arrived in this city. He announces that on Thursday work will be begun on the new post office building with a full force of men. The only difficulty that he anticipates is that of finding a sufficient number of men of finding it possible to push operations as rapidly as is desired.

Mr. King, the superintendent of public construction, who has the work in charge for the government, says that while it would have made the contract easier if it had been under way two months ago at the time when the contract was let, the firm still has sixteen months in which to complete the work.

Material on Ground

For several days lumber and other supplies have been unloaded on the ground ready for the work whenever it should be taken up. J. P. Clark, who is the foreman of the work which will soon begin was here several weeks ago to superintend the unloading of the machinery and scaffolding to be used in the erection of the post office.

CONTRACT LET FOR NEW STORM SEWER

John W. Peters Was the Lowest Bidder, and Will Do the Work for \$1,434.11.

John W. Peters was the lowest bidder for the construction of the sewer from near the new St. Paul station on High street to the river. The street assessment committee met yesterday afternoon and opened the bids for the construction of this sewer. Bids for the work were received from John W. Peters, Brown & Connors and Blake Bros. The specifications called for 55 feet of 18 inch sewer, 920 feet of 15 inch, 696 feet of 12 inch and 300 feet of 10 inch, with six combined catch basins and manholes. The total amount of the bids for doing the work as figured by City Engineer Kerch were Brown & Connors, \$2,047.91; Blake Bros., \$1,539.89, and John W. Peters, \$1,434.11, or about seventy two and seven tenths cents per foot. The sewer will start on High street and run south to Wall and from High down Wall to the river. The street assessment committee will take action on the bids and make a report to the council this evening. No doubt Mr. Peters' bid will be the one accepted by the council and he will be awarded the contract for doing the work.

King's Daughters' Meeting: The King's Daughters' of the Baptist church will hold their regular meeting in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. All members are requested to be present to make arrangements for church day.

In Court: This morning the case of the R. B. Whitsell company against the Hanson Furniture company was adjourned to October 26. In the Reeder court the case of E. Burgess against Charles Schultz is on trial.

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ARE ALL READY FOR FOOT BALL

Preliminary Practice on the Gridiron Has Already Begun—Promising New Material.

In a few days the entire Beloit baseball team which has been in Granville, New York, during the summer will be at home for the re-opening of college, and the foot ball men in the nine ready for the practice on the gridiron. The Brown brothers were the first to leave the east, and the remainder will straggle in slowly, the last coming on Saturday, among the men, Allen Merrill, and Coach Jack Hollister. The bulk of the team were expected to arrive on Monday night but they were delayed on the way.

Practice Begun

The latter part of the week light foot ball work will be entered upon before the coach returns. Monday night a few men under Captain Carroll Smith, donned their stained and muddy suits, and did a little preliminary work with the pig-skin on the campus. Crane was on hand, as well as Potter and Burke, the two heavy Freshmen, with star high school records behind them. Slater, the heavy guard, was also on the grounds, but did no work. He will go to his home in Richland Center and return on the last of the week.

Real Estate Transfers.

Joel H. Dow and wife to Louise P. Crow, lots 9, 10, pt. 8-14 East Broad and Beloit, Vol. 100d, \$1,000.

William W. Watt to Alex. A. Russell, lots 5-5 Forest Park and Janesville, Vol. 100d, \$1,200.

Porter H. Yates and wife to Mary H. Morris, lots 28, 30-1, Yates' add Beloit, Vol. 100d, \$850.

Elizabeth McLaughlin to Thomas McLaughlin, lots 27-312, Vol. 100d, \$1,000.

Albert S. French to F. L. French, pt. of lots and parts of lots 8-4-12, Vol. 100d, \$1,000.

Porter H. Yates and wife to Linda M. Miller, pt. 22-3, Yates' add Beloit, Vol. 100d, \$300.

George H. Kinnon et al. to Alex McLaughlin, lots

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HARD TIMES AND THE DEATH RATE.

Among the unpublished manuscripts of the late Burton F. Nowlan is the following on the death rate in hard times. It contains thought that is new and will be of interest to the general reader.

It may seem strange to say that hard times affect the business of the undertaker, but such is the case. This is not because people cannot afford to die. There can be no economy practiced in this direction.

The good still die young. The unloaded gun et al., still gather the annual harvest. Many people, besides the undertaker, can think of other people who "would be better off dead." Dying has not gone out of fashion, either. Many of "our most respected townsmen" are still wont to do that sort of thing, and some of them make their takings highly pyrotechnical—which pleases the city editor and the undertaker alike. But the undertaker cannot make any money off a man, he be good or bad, unless the "late lamented" is "dere wid de goods" as they say in some portions of this city.

Business has gone to the bow-wows," said a local undertaker to a reporter this morning. "We are not doing anything comparatively."

"Why is that?" he was asked.

"Oh, times are hard, and all business feels the general depression. We feel it the same as the rest."

The man who had grown round shouldered from carrying a pencil in his vest pocket engorged his brain to think of some reason why hard times should affect the sale of coffins. The undertaker noticed that something was happening in the safe where an All Wise Creator put the scribe's gray matter so that people could not take it out and cast it under a street car, so he explained.

"When times are hard," he continued, "people do not die as fast as they do when times are good. The statement may sound a bit odd to you, but it is an absolutely reliable fact. Worry kills lots of people when times are hard, but worry is not the friend of the undertaker. Then there are suicides, and deaths from want and exposure, but there is no money in them. The class of people who bring profit to the undertaker are the ones in prosperous circumstances. When they make money they spend it. When they do not make money they do not spend it. When they spend it, they die. When they do not spend it, they live. When hard times pinch these people, they begin to economize."

"They do not live so high, and they eat less rich food. They do not go to the theatre so often. They take less chances generally. Men walk instead of taking a cab, and the exercise does them good. They smoke fewer cigars, and drink less whiskey. All of these things tend to make them more healthy. They do not run down so soon from too close application to business. Unconsciously they are prolonging their lives while they are saving money. They do not live at as rapid a gait, and consequently they are less liable to disease. They find that they can get along without that two dollar luncheon at a down town restaurant before they go home at night, and at noon they find a glass of milk as satisfactory as something more expensive, and of course more deadly. They say 'I must wear this old overcoat this winter' and in doing so, they unconsciously take more care in keeping it buttoned about their necks so that the wrinkles will not show. They are not taking off a heavy puff every night in the week, and putting on a small bow, and a lighter suit of clothes, to go out and spend the evening."

"Women, especially, are made healthier by hard times. Where a woman will catch cold once, a woman will catch one forty times. When times are hard they do not attend so many parties. The dress balls, that the women enjoy so much, are the means of the undoing of more of them than any other cause. They

take off the thick warm street dress that they think they must wear in the winter, and discard the warm headgear that is donned when Jack Frost comes. Then they put on a thin gown of some cold hard material. These gowns are of course, cut low in the neck. To finish off, they put on a thin piece of lace over their heads, and sally forth to the opera, the dance—and the grave. When times are good, many women do this every evening in the week. They do not think of the change in the character of their clothing, but go out on the street, and fairly invite my old friend, the gentleman with the scythe, to smite them. A slight cold caught one night, is made worse the next, and the first thing you know, you read in the papers that Mrs. So and So has pneumonia. She has no vitality, and after the family physician gets through with her, they send for me.

With children the conditions are more marked. When the parents are gadding about, they do not notice that Willie is growing thin and pale the way they do when all are gathered about the home circle. Willie's chances for living long enough to become president are much better when his parents see him enough to know whether or not he is well. And when times are hard, Willie eats less candy, and is a healthier boy generally.

"Hard times for the people, are healthy times, and healthy times for the people make hard times for us. The wholesale and casket makers are well nigh discouraged. There is no sale for their goods and they cannot force sales with bargain bats or the offering of prizes and novelties. It is no inducement to offer man a gold watch if he will die and let you bury him. Our business, more than any other, has to run through established channels, and we must take it as it comes. The general manager of a big casket factory, who was covering the firm's field to save expense, called on me the other day. When I told him that I didn't want anything, he said that he had heard that story until he believed that people were burying their dead in dry goods boxes in their back yards.

"Give the undertaker good times, high living, and brilliant social events, and he would flourish and wax fat," said the knight of the cooling board, "but give him hard times, and he will perish, the same as any one else—and some of his fellow craftsmen will have to bury him for nothing."

B. F. NOWLAN

Janesville, Wis.

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

It is estimated that \$75,000,000 will be necessary to move the crops which are the most abundant in history. This heavy demand for money is causing some uneasiness in Waukesha as well as in the other great money centers of the country.

The national banks under the present stringent laws are not disposed to increase their issue, and the country is obliged to look elsewhere for relief. France and England have a liberal surplus, and American securities are coming into active demand and the outlook indicates general supply of foreign gold.

The unusual conditions are largely due to the era of wildcat speculation which has prevailed during the last two years. Millions of money is tied up in stocks that are practically worthless. Henry Clews, the Wall street banker and financier, thus describes the situation that exists today in New York:

"A man becomes an inebriate by getting himself into a condition where he ceases to recognize effect as following cause. Under the influence, at times, of the intoxicating beverage he will defy both law and order. This is due to the callous condition he has allowed himself to get into. The stock market of late has been productive of a similar condition of mind with a majority of people. They have been engaged now for such a prolonged period in buying, and buying and buying, making profits on all their ventures, as to make them like the inebriate—callous to all adverse factors whenever they come up. High prices don't frighten them; scarcity and high rates for money don't frighten them; cautionary signals don't frighten them; strikes don't frighten them. Buying and holding on have simply become chronic with them. This man not unlikely continue to be the condition of the stock market until compulsory liquidation sets in, which the strain in the money situation may sooner or later produce. I recommend caution in buying at the prevailing high prices for the present at least. I see no possibility of relief to the money market excepting through the importation of gold. The activity of business all over the country, together with the moving of the crops, is going to keep the money thoroughly employed at high rates all the way through until we get into the new year; therefore, those who buy stocks to carry, excepting at fair concessions from present prices, may meanwhile be overtaken with more or less discomfort due to the difficulty of obtaining money at reasonable rates."

What is true of New York, is true in greater or less degree in all sections of the country. Money has been diverted from legitimate channels by the craze for speculation and like circus day money, every thing goes out and but little comes in.

The west would have an abundant supply of money to handle the crops but for this cause and the east would not

be called upon for unusual contribution. It is not probable that a panic will follow this year but it is bound to come in the near future, unless the tide of speculation is checked.

The Rev. Dr. Washburn, the president's pastor at Oyster Bay, succeeded in putting his foot in a McKinley memorial day service, by discussing the trust question, and eulogizing president Roosevelt. It is an honor to have the chief magistrate of the nation for a parishioner, but the honor appears to have added nothing to the stature of the Rev. Mr. Washburn.

The Methodist preachers went out of their way to protest against the advancement of Archbishop Ireland. President Roosevelt recognizes in Mr. Ireland a broad minded American citizen. If he endorsed him for higher church office it was because he believed in the man, and because he has discovered an intelligent grasp of religious conditions in the Philippine Islands and is willing and able to render effective service.

Buckstaff, Stout and Hoard are a combination that may cause the governor some trouble before the campaign closes. They belong to the class of men who believe that whitewash is a poor remedy for an evil.

Superintendent Harvey was sacrificed in the house of his friends to gratify personal spite and ambition. If there is any republicanism in that sort of politics it don't appear on the surface.

Edwin Hoffman At 4:30 this morning Edwin, the four-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, died after an illness of one month's duration. The funeral will be held from the home, 369 Western avenue at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon, Rev. C. J. Koerner will officiate and the interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

Funeral Services The funeral of the ten-day-old baby daughter of Fred Wentke of Locust street, who died Tuesday morning, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence. The remains were taken to Oak Hill cemetery for interment.

Remnants At Half Price We will offer tomorrow a large assortment of dress goods remnants, both plain and fancy, and have cut prices exactly in the middle and many lengths will go for less than half price.

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Y. P. S. Meeting: The Y. P. S. of Trinity church held their semi-annual meeting for the election of officers last evening at the Guild hall. Will Drummond was elected president and Little Allen as secretary and treasurer. They also decided to hold their annual "Harvest Home" party, Tuesday evening, October 7 in Assembly hall. The young people have started out with more spirit than ever and have promised to give one of the best and most successful series of parties ever given, and John Smith's orchestra will always be in tune with the latest music.

At the prayer meeting at the Congregational church tomorrow evening Rev. Robert C. Denison will speak on "Services in Irish and English Churches."

Mrs. William Cody is home after a pleasant visit with her sister at Minneapolis.

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WANT ADS.

The following letters await owners in the Gazette counting room: "Clerk," "P. Z.," "A. S.," "Home," "C. H.," "J. C.," "W. H.," "J. W.," "F.," "P. A.,"

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Inquire at 108 Park Place.

WANTED—Woman cook and laundry girl. Give references and experience. Address "Hotel," care Gazette.

WANTED AT ONCE—A good collector. Call at 48 Hayes block at 8 o'clock a.m.

WANTED—Girls to operate knitting machines. Study, amuse, earn good wages. Call early at Lewis Knitting Co.

WANTED—Middle aged woman to care for old lady; good place for right person. Address or call Dr. E. E. Lyons at office.

10 AGENTS WANTED—City collecting; with good address. Good pay to right parties. Call at once at the Park Hotel. H. L. Mason.

WANTED—Furnished room with private address. By responsible young man. Address F. A. Gazette.

WANTED—Messenger girl at Wisconsin Telephone office.

WANTED—In boy attending school, a place to work during spare hours for his board. Inquire at 34 Caroline street.

WANTED—Trustworthy man or woman, with good common sense, to do work at home. Fixed salary. Call 31, 214 S. Bluff St., Janesville, Wis.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good wages to right party. 138 South Jackson street.

WANTED—Carpet and rug to beat, sew and lay. Call or address J. W. Webb, 3 South Jackson street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Good wages. 107 Court St.

WANTED—Man to work on farm. Inquire on Taylor farm, Milton avenue.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE cheap, if taken at once. Decentable modern house in Third ward, on half street; about 2½ blocks from park. Address M. P. A. Gazette.

FOR SALE—Fine Jersey cow. Apply at 109 Fourth avenue.

FOR SALE at a bargain if taken at once, household goods of all kinds. 101 Center St.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—A span of bays, full starters, stabled by "Cedar Wood." Young, sound, good style and fast. Address Loc. Box 319, Boscobel, Wis.

FOR SALE OR RENT—11-room house with good water, city water and gas, one block from street cars. W. J. McElroy.

FOR SALE—Old papers to lay under carpets. 5 cents a package at Gazette office.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A furnished room with heat and light. Call at 85 Court St.

FOR RENT—Shop on Academy street lately occupied by E. F. Kelly.

FOR RENT—Double house, eight rooms each. Possession given at once. Inquire at 101 Fourth avenue.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 208 Academy street. Also, a barn.

HOUSE TO RENT—Corner West Bluff and Pearl street; 7 rooms; city water, gas and gas stove; garden. Jas. Mendenhall.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—Rubber tire. If found leave at Filley's lumber yard.

FOUND—Lady's purse, containing money. Owned by Dr. A. L. Buttrick, 231 Hayes Block.

LOST—Pair of spectacles, in leather case, between Archibald Reid's store and 102 N. Bluff street. Finder

COUNCIL ACCEPTS THE CITY HALL

HENRY KLEIN IS APPOINTED
CHIEF ENGINEER.

MAY MERGE TWO OFFICES

Plan to Make Klein City Electrician
and Engineer at \$100 Per
Month.

Janesville now has a new chief engineer and a new city hall. Henry Klein was appointed by Mayor Richardson and confirmed by the council as chief of the fire department and the building committee handed in their report on the city hall and the building was accepted by the council.

Mayor Richardson was not present at the meeting nor was President Gilkey. In their absence Alderman J. F. Hutchinson was presiding officer. All the aldermen were present except Alderman Gilkey.

Court Reports

The municipal court report for August and the report of the board of education for the same time were referred to their proper committees and later accepted and placed on file.

Saloon Licenses.

The bond of Percy M. Northrop for a saloon license was referred to the judiciary committee who reported it in due form with proper securities and placed it on file. The application of E. F. Burns for a transfer of his saloon license to Percy Northrop was referred to the license committee who reported it favorably.

Bids Reported

The highway committee reported the bids for the construction of the storm sewer on High and Wall streets and that the bids were: Brown and Connors, \$2,045.91; Blake Brothers, \$1,559.88; and John Peters, \$1,434.11. Mr. Peters' bid being the lowest he will get the contract for the work.

Rush's Report

The report of Architect A. W. Rush stating that he had made a thorough inspection of the city hall and that it was completed in accordance with the specifications and recommending its acceptance was read. The building committee later made a favorable report and the building was accepted by the unanimous vote of the council.

Klein Appointed

City Clerk Badger announced that the mayor had requested him to notify the council of the appointment by him of Henry C. Klein as chief engineer of the fire department. On motion of Alderman Kothman the appointment was confirmed, all the aldermen voting aye except Alderman Hemming who said that he was pledged to Assistant Chief George Osgood. In his appointment the mayor recommended that the offices of city electrician and chief engineer be combined and that the salary be fixed at \$100 per month. The salary question will have to go over until another meeting of the council as it necessitates a change of ordinances.

To Borrow Money

Mayor Richardson was instructed to borrow \$7,000 and place it to the credit of the general fund. Chairman Hutchinson stated he had some resolutions to introduce and Alderman McLean was called to the chair. Alderman Hutchinson then presented the following resolutions on the death of John C. Spencer which were unanimously adopted by the council.

The Resolutions

Whereas, since the last meeting of the common council, John C. Spencer, chief engineer of the fire department, died at his home in the city of Janesville, on the 10th day of September, 1902, therefore, be it,

Resolved, By the mayor and common council of the city of Janesville, that in the death of our late chief engineer, the fire department has lost one of its oldest members who served in almost every capacity from torch bearer to chief engineer of the department with unusual zeal, ability and usefulness, and that the city of Janesville has lost one of its honored and respected citizens, and it is fitting that the common council should record its appreciation of his services.

Resolved, That we tender to the bereaved family of our late chief engineer the expressions of sympathy felt by the members of the common council, with the assurance that the citizens of Janesville mourn with them, in their great affliction and irreparable loss.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the widow of John C. Spencer.

The building committee reported that the amount still due Rowan & Son on the city hall was \$6,311.08 and the amount due them as assignee of E. A. Rush & Co., \$645.59 and the clerk was instructed to draw orders on the general fund for the amounts.

That Striker

The striker on the city hall clock came up again and on motion of Alderman McLean, the Mayor was instructed to sign a contract with the Seth Thomas Clock Co. for making the change.

The council then adjourned until Tuesday, September 23.

JEFFERSON COUNTY FAIR

Excellent Program Will Be A Feature Each Day

Several from this city and vicinity are planning on attending the Jefferson county fair, Sept. 23 to 26 at Jefferson. This year a street fair on the streets of Jefferson will add to the amusement. Each evening special performances, fire works and music will be on the program. At the fair grounds an exciting race program will be held each day for which large purses are offered. Excursion rates have been granted from all points.

A Great Event

The remnant sale tomorrow will eclipse any remnant sale ever held in Janesville. Only the Big Store could accommodate so many—doesn't take long either. Big selling you know.

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FUTURE EVENTS

Prohibition mass meeting at assembly hall this evening.

Regular mid-week service at First Church of Christ, Scientist, the Phoenix Block, this evening 7:30 o'clock.

"East Lynne" at the Myers Grand tomorrow evening.

Woman's Catholic Order of Fathers dance tomorrow evening at Side Odd Fellows' hall.

Janesville Art League picnic Idlewile park Friday.

Daughters of Rebekah anniversary party at West Side Odd Fellows' Saturday evening.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Fifty pieces of heavy, fluffy flannel at 7 cts each.

Bort, Bailey & Co. Remember Spencer's discount Thursday, Friday and Saturday cash.

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Ten per cent discount on a for cash Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Spencer's.

See the large variety of newest styles of new fall dress gowns are selling at 50c a yard. T. P. T. P.

The Rev. S. G. Huey preached La Prairie hall next Sunday at 6 o'clock p.m.

Do not fail to attend the millinery opening Wednesday, Sept. 17. Very latest styles in fall winter hats.

This is the season of the purchase outing. Bort, Bailey & Co. offer the flannel gains of the season in fifty pieces per yard.

Hanans', Foster, Gloria and Quincy Lee Morrow of Indiana who will address the prohibition of the county tonight, is ready at the Myers.

Gents all go in this sale at S. Sept. 18, 19 and 20.

It is conceded by all lookers we have the largest assortments of ladies' tailor made suits at \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 in the e. P. Burns.

Friday will be Janesville day at Elkhorn fair. The Imperial has been engaged for that day. The crowd is expected to go from 10 a.m.

Now is your time to get at Spencer's. 10 per cent. shoe sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

C. D. Wiggenhorn was down Watertown today and called on his acquaintances.

At 7 cts per yard Bort, Bailey & Co. offer the public an excellent bargain in outing flannel. Flannels come in all the desired colors including pinks and blue stripes and checks.

The elder mill at Grubb's the crowd for new sweet bread while you wait: 35 cents gallon.

Grubb's whole wheat bread. Granular entire wheat flour is fresh food.

The potatoes used at each of Grubb's white bread holds sweetness in the loaf. The wrapper is all right too.

Hot beans, baked in the pots get them in.

Grubb says one customer at whole loaf at one meal of steamed Boston brown bread but no one yet reported having eaten jar and of his baked beans.

Mrs. C. N. Stryker, Jr., who has been spending the summer with relatives and friends in this city, returned yesterday morning to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y. She was accompanied by her husband's father, C. N. Stryker, Sr., also of Brooklyn, who has spent the past two weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flower Martyn who have been the guests of Mrs. Martyn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wellington, started for their home in England last evening. They spent part of their visit with Mrs. Martyn's sister, Mrs. H. E. Dick, at her summer home in the northern part of the state.

W. C. T. U. Meeting: The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Mayhew Loudon, 55 North High street, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Von Odgen Vogt, field secretary of Beloit college was in the city this morning. While here he interviewed several persons who have contemplated attending Beloit this fall, in the hope of aiding them to make a favorable decision.

Charles Carter and family of 151 Locust street, have moved to Grand Rapids, Wis.

Elkhorn: About fifty from this town took advantage of the special train over the St. Paul road and visited the fair at Elkhorn today. The train runs direct to the grounds for the convenience of the visitors.

Crushed Stone Here: The first installment of crushed stone to fill in the tracks in front of the Northwestern passenger station arrived yesterday and were unloaded along the first track in front of the station.

Knew Eleazer Williams: Considerable interest in the early history of Wisconsin has been aroused by the recent presentation of "Lazarre" by Otto Skinner in this city and many interesting circumstances have been brought to mind. Among them is the fact that a brother of Miss Bertha Styles' father conducted the Oneida Indians from New York state to Green Bay and knew Eleazer Williams, or "Lazarre" personally.

Given A Reception: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Knights, who left this morning for their future home at Wild Rose, Wis., were tendered a farewell reception last evening at the parlors of the First M. E. church. During their residence in this city Mr. and Mrs. Knights have been earnest workers in the interests of the church and last evening the members of the church gathered together to give them a farewell reception. Mr. Knights has always been an efficient worker in the Sunday school and as a token of their appreciation his class presented him with a handsome oak easy chair. Mr. Knights will engage in mercantile business in his new home.

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NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

W. C. King of Rockford was in the city today.

Mrs. F. W. Gibson is visiting friends in Milwaukee.

F. K. Derrick of Brodhead visited this city today.

F. Travers of Beloit transacted business in this city today.

H. C. Pease of Edgerton was in the city today on business.

Henry Bardeen of Wausau is the guest of Dr. W. H. Palmer.

Tom McMahon of Rockford was in the city on business yesterday.

Melvin Sater of Madison spent today with relatives in the city.

Sylvester Morgan and wife have turned from a visit to Manitoba.

Frederick Kolpp of Chicago was a visitor among Janesville friends yesterday.

Mrs. G. D. Cannon is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Jno. Smith, of Watertown.

Owen Rolfe of Oshkosh is visiting cousins, the Misses Grace and Eddie Conroy.

Mrs. H. C. Taylor and Miss Estelle Taylor of Orfordville spent the day this city.

Mrs. Whitmore and Miss Whitmore of Chicago are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wheeler.

Miss Estelle Williams returned the last night from a few days' stay in Chicago.

Harry Johnson left this noon for Milwaukee where he will visit his mother, Mrs. Frank Ranous.

C. Hart, William Huob and Frederson spent yesterday near Orville hunting squirrels.

E. Birckland and Joseph Haite of Elkhorn spent a few hours in the city morning among friends.

Miss Mamie Scanlan of Elkhorn has returned home from a trip with friends in Chicago.

John and Mrs. L. L. Hoyt and four children are the guests of mother, Mrs. F. S. Eldred.

James Newlands, the athlete, was in the city today on his way to Beloit to resume his studies in the college.

W. H. Elthorp and daughter from New York are in the city visiting Elthorp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olsen.

John and Mrs. J. M. Loofboro of Waterloo, are in the city the guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Burdick, Milton avenue.

M. Marzluff left yesterday for a business trip to Milwaukee and Madeline Rapids, Mich., in the interests of M. Marzluff & Co.

J. Whitton and daughter, Miss Emily returned home last night after a visit with Mr. Whitton's brother, La Rose, III.

George Boyer, manager of Haverstraw's was in the city yesterday to arrange for their appearance in the near future.

Mr. H. S. Garfield of Coronado, and Mrs. H. L. Washburn of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Elbridge G. Field, 204 N. Keeler street.

Miss Mattie Shopbell left yesterday morning for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she expects to enter Pratt Institute and take a special course in domestic science.

PROHIBITS MUSTER ONLY FOURTEEN

COUNTY CONVENTION OF THE WATER PARTY HELD.

NOMINEE DRAKE WAS THERE

No Lawyer in Party, Hence No Nomination for District Attorney Was Made.

Blue members of the county prohibition party gathered in the circuit court room at two o'clock today in response to a call for holding a county convention for the nomination of county officers, candidates for the assembly in the first, second and third districts.

The convention was called to order by Dr. H. A. Palmer, chairman of the county committee. Rev. W. T. Miller of Milton was called upon and opened the proceedings with a short prayer. Secretary M. S. Kellogg then read the call under which the convention was to be organized.

There being so small a number of delegates present a recess was taken until 2:30 when an effort was made to get more of the members of the party to attend.

Drake Present

Eben W. Drake, the candidate for governor and Quincy Lee Morrow of Indiana were present at the convention and expressed surprise at the smallness of the gathering. A. E. Wilcox of Harmony was the unanimous choice of the convention for sheriff. G. O. Sayre of Milton was nominated for county clerk. The clerk cast the ballot for C. J. Dresser of Clinton for county treasurer. Edison Baker of Janesville and Charles Franz of Beloit were the candidates for coroner. The whole number of ballots cast was 14 of which Baker received 9, Franz 4 and Maxson 1. Mr. Baker was declared nominated. M. S. Kellogg was chosen by acclamation for the candidate for the office of clerk of the court.

There being no lawyer available in the prohibition party for the office of district attorney the place on the ticket was left blank. S. H. Johner of La Prairie was the unanimous choice of the convention for register of deeds. The nomination of a county surveyor was left with the county committee.

Culver-Sanner

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Wheeler announce the engagement of their cousin, Ruth Sigourney Culver to Mr. Frank Irving Sanner. The wedding will take place on Saturday, Sept. 27th.

15 Cts. Given Away

Bring 10cts and this advertisement, and we will give you a 15 cent piece of candy.

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The Official Route For The G. A. R.
Headquarters Train Is Via The C.
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Tourist sleeping cars will leave Janesville at 7 p. m., Oct. 5th and run through without change of cars, arriving in Washington, D. C., Thursday morning, Oct. 7th. Rate per double berth \$2.50, Janesville to Washington. Get your name on diagram early and secure good location. For berth reservations in sleeping cars for this train apply to J. L. Hear, Commander W. H. Sargent Post No. 20, or ticket agent, C. & N. W. Ry, Janesville, Wis.

Special Reduced Excursion Rates
Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & Northwestern Ry for the occasions named below:

I. O. O. F. Sovereign Grand Lodge, Des Moines, September 15-20.

National Creamery B. M.'s Association, Milwaukee, October 20-24.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Boston, Mass., October 3-12.

American Royal Cattle Show, Kansas City, Mo., October 20-25.

National Conventions Christian Church, Omaha, October 16-23.

National Encampment, G. A. R., Washington, D. C., October 6-11.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

\$3.45 to California and Correspondingly Low Rates to Points in Oregon, Washington, British Columbia, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Colorado and Wyoming.

The C. & N. W. Ry. will sell tickets to above territory daily during September and October and at very low rates. For full information and descriptive matter see agent C. & N. W. Pass. Depot. Tel. No. 35.

Reduced Rates to Milwaukee via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, Sept. 6th to 27th, good to return the following Monday. At \$2.55 for the round trip. Account Industrial Exposition.

Home Seekers' Excursions to the Northwest, West and Southwest

Via the North-Western Line. Home Seekers' Excursion Tickets at greatly reduced rates will be sold on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, June to October, inclusive, 1902, to the territory indicated above. Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars, free chair cars and "The best of everything." For full particulars apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Half Rates to Boston, Mass., via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Oct. 6th to 10th inclusive, good to return by extension until Nov. 12th. Ac't B. of St. A. Convention. For rates, time of trains, etc., call at passenger depot.

Excursion Rates To Northern Illinois Fair At Freeport

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion rates September 13 to 19, inclusive, limited to return until September 20, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry. Special tickets will be sold at reduced

Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

The North-Western Line will sell excursion tickets September 29, 30 and October 1, with extreme return limit until November 15, inclusive, on account of Meeting N. W. D. A. at Monterey. Stop-over privileges. Variable routes. Pullman Drawing Room and Tourist Sleeping cars, world-renowned scenery. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Excursion Rates to Dodge County Fair at Beaver Dam, Wis.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates to Minnesota Junction September 27 to October 2, inclusive, limited to return until October 4, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Excursion Tickets to County Fair at Madison, Wis.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates September 22 to 26, inclusive, limited to return until September 27, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

CLINTON.
Clinton, Sept. 16.—Twenty-five years ago in Shoptre at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Artemus Smith occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ella and Mr. J. F. Kemmerer. The young people were popular and they started in life under auspicious circumstances, with the best wishes of many friends. Time sped on, one daughter and three sons came to gladden the home. Eleven years ago they came to Clinton where they have since resided and by kind ministrations and generous deeds gained many warm friends, who took delight in celebrating this event with them, their twenty-fifth anniversary.

In response to an invitation to a six o'clock tea on Friday, Sept. 12th, about seventy friends gathered at their home, and not until the silvered cards in the shape of a heart bearing the guest's name with the dates 1877 and 1902 was discovered by each plate, was the company apprised of the fact of the honor of being bestowed on them and which immediately added pleasure to the occasion.

The repast were an elaborate collection of viands faultlessly served by the Misses Ethel Kemmerer, Maud Wilkins, Bessie Dickerman, Eliza Weaver, and Anna Conley. Mr. Geo. Kemmerer also assisted. The flowers were large asters.

Hon. S. S. Jones was called upon to express congratulations in behalf of the company present, which he did in a most humorous and happy style. Mr. Kemmerer responded very appro-

Excursion Rates to Elkhorn and Return Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Sept. 15th to 19th inclusive, good to return until Sept. 20th. At \$1.15 for round trip. Ac't the big Walworth County fair, on Sept. 17th, 18th and 19th. A special train will be run leaving Janesville 7:45 a. m., arriving at fair grounds 8:50 a. m., returning leave fair grounds at 6:10 p. m.

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Sunday Excursion Rates.

The North-Western Line will sell low rate round-trip tickets to Fond du Lac and intermediate stations, good on each Sunday until Sept. 28th. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Very Low Rates to Points in California, Colorado, Utah, Montana and Washington, via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Daily during September and October. For rates, time of trains, etc. Call at Passenger depot.

Reduced Rates to Madison, Wis., via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Sept. 22d to 26th, inclusive, good to return until Sept. 27th. At \$1.00 for the round trip. Ac't Dane Co. fair.

Reduced Rates to Freeport, Ill., via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Sept. 15th to 19th inclusive, good to return until Sept. 20th. At \$1.95 for the round trip. Ac't fair.

Very Low Trip Rates to Points in Ohio and Indiana via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Sept. 2d, 9th, 16th and 23d. At one fare plus \$2 for round trip, good to return 30 days from date of sale.

Half-Rate Home Visitors' Excursion Tickets to Points in Indiana and Ohio and to Louisville, Ky., via the North-Western Line.

Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip for trains arriving at Chicago or Peoria on September 9, 16 and 23, 1902, with favorable return limits. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Special First-Class Pullman Sleeper Janesville Through to Washington, D. C. Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

On Oct. 3rd the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will run a first class Pullman sleeper through from Janesville to Washington, D. C., via Chicago, Big Four and C. & O. Ry. through Cincinnati, leaving Janesville at 7:30 a. m., arriving at Washington 3:30 p. m. next day. Rate for one double berth, accommodating two people \$5.50; for space in this sleeper apply to C. D. Child or ticket agent C. M. & St. P. Ry. Passenger depot.

Excursion Rates to Beloit, Wis., via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Sept. 22 to 27th inclusive, good to return until Sept. 28th. At 55 cents for the round trip. Ac't carnival.

\$18.60 to Washington, D. C. and Return via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Oct. 2d to 6th inclusive, good to return by extension until Nov. 3d. For full particulars call at passenger depot.

Excursion Rates to World's Free Street Fair at Beloit, Wis., via the North-Western Line.

Tickets will be sold at reduced rates September 22 to 27, inclusive, limited to return until September 29, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Excursion Tickets to County Fair at Jefferson, Wis.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates September 22 to 26, inclusive, limited to return until September 27, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

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HANOVER
Hanover, Sept. 16.—Wednesday, Sept. 10th, after an illness of two months duration, little Henry, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Borkenhagen, was called from his suffering and pain in this world to his heavenly rest, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." The funeral was held Friday at one o'clock from the Lutheran church. Rev. Mueller officiated. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

The school house was sold at auction Saturday evening. J. S. Scudmore bid in for \$70.00. We understand that he will move it on his farm and use it for a tenant house.

Cucumber harvest is almost over only a very few being taken in now. The frost of last week killed nearly all the vines.

Mrs. Kate Zlenow and daughter Mrs. J. S. Scudmore, of Janesville were in Hanover Friday.

Mrs. E. G. Brown returned home Thursday night from a trip to Milwaukee and Oconomowoc.

On Saturday, Sept. 13th, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ehrlinger welcomed son to their home.

Mrs. Chas. Eller of Janesville, engaged business here Saturday.

Mrs. F. B. Child returned from Argo Thursday where she organized a camp of Royal Neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Borkenhagen desire to extend their thanks to the friends who kindly assisted them during their sickness and at the death of their little son, and also for many beautiful flowers sent for the funeral.

ROCK RIVER

Rock River, Sept. 16.—The Ladies' society will meet with Mrs. Da Swader, Thursday Sept. 25.

members requested to be present. Darlene Baker of Forest City, Idaho, visited old Rock River friend this week after an absence of two years.

Owa Pierce began school at Junction last week.

The annual "Modoc picnic" will be held at Charley Bluff, Wed. Sept. 17th.

The C. E. social last Wednesday evening was well attended. A short program was given by the young people during the evening.

E. D. Van Horn preached at the funeral of Henry Borkenhagen on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raymond were Janesville visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kame visit relatives in Janesville Sunday.

Mrs. A. Hartwig and grandson Ed. Lentz, returned Saturday night from a week's visit in Milwaukee.

S. Straus of Orfordville, transacted again last Sabbath after a two month's absence.

Mrs. Otto Vincent and children Roy and Elzo of Willow Spring, Minn., arrived here Friday to visit friends and relatives.

NEWARK

Newark, Sept. 16.—Notwithstanding Dame Nature did her best with cloudy skies and chilling breeze to discourage Gala day at Newark, the fair crowd was present and good nature prevailed.

However, the majority of the ladies and children found it too cool to stay long in the grove and so passed the afternoon at the ball, thus missing the games and races. The program which was to have been given in the grove was taken to the hall for their benefit.

Rev. Baldwin of Shirland, delivered an appropriate address. There was an oration by Miss Maggie Sullivan and recitations by Master Rennie Roy and Miss Luella Starr. Music was furnished by Ballou's orchestra.

The ball game between the second nine of Orfordville and Avon resulted in a victory for Avon. The score standing 8 to 16. The Avon boys had secured the services of S. Farman of Brothhead and Larson and Baldwin of Shirland. The Orfordville nine had their regular men and put up a good game. The free for all foot race was won by Lon Farman, Everett Taylor taking second prize. Delbert Merle won the foot race for boys under 15, Charley Olsen taking second prize.

The fat man's race resulted in a victory for Nels Landsverk, W. Garde being an exciting second.

John Lynch and Joe Beyers chose sides for the tug of war and Lynch's side succeeded, after a decidedly hard tug, in pulling the opposition over the fatal line. Those on the winning side were Nels Landsverk, Wm. Garde, Ed. Welch, Olof Gilbertson, Harry Kelley and Fred Reed.

Restigan at Avon took the \$5.00 for the horse race.

The dance at night was well attended and the Woodmen succeeded in disposing of their wares such as ice cream, ice pop, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemmerer are alive to all public interests, he being a member of the school board and an active worker in the Y. M. C. A. and in the M. E. church and society the family are valued members.

As each guest took their departure they left a wish that their lives may be spared many years to be examples of the higher type of living among those of whom they came in contact.

LIMA.
Lima, Sept. 16.—Mrs. Otto Warner is very low at the present writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grow spent Sunday with their uncle, D. McDonald and wife.

Mrs. Etta Manus and child, of Grand Rapids, Mich., are guests of their cousin, Mrs. Martin Gould.

Mrs. Sarah Waller and Gertie are guests at M. Holbrook's.

Clark Osterheld returned to Stoughton Saturday.

Elkhorn fair attracts a large number of our people this week.

Mrs. Bowers is boarding the gentleman who takes care of the station during Mr. Holden's absence.

Mrs. Florence Pollock returned to Beloit Friday.

John Dixon left Friday night for Iowa, being called by telegram on account of the dangerous illness of his daughter who with her mother is visiting there. His brother Richard accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Stillman spent Sunday in Whitewater.

Mrs. Millie Hallett and Mrs. Kate

CONSTITUTION
I am sorry. I touch for

COAL COMPANY GRANTS INCREASE

MINERS BELIEVE STRIKE IS ENDED

Offer Taken as a Forerunner of Action to Be Taken by Other Operators and Hope Buys the Miners to Hold Out.

Shamokin, Pa., Sept. 17.—The Llewellyn Coal company has granted a 10 per cent increase and an eight-hour day to their men.

Thirty men of the Royal Oak colliery, owned by the Llewellyn company, went back to work, but they were persuaded to go home and wait until other and larger companies announced concessions.

It is believed here among the miners that the strike is really ended, and that the surrender of the other coal companies is merely a question of time.

BAER IS OBSTINATE.

No Settlement Till Men Return to Work Is His Ultimatum.

New York, Sept. 17.—Whatever hopes have been entertained that concessions or a compromise from the anthracite coal operators would end the great strike were completely shattered by the formal announcement of President Baer of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad that the strike would run its course and the operators would brook no interference.

"There will be no compromise nor concessions," said Mr. Baer after a well attended meeting of presidents of coal carrying roads and individual operators. "We have taken the ground that the only way the strike can be settled is by the men going back to work and then the differences and issues can be arbitrated between the men and their employers. We have been always willing to do this, but outside influences, whether political or otherwise, will not be countenanced."

GOMPERS MEETS MINERS.

Says Federation Members Will Be Assessed If Necessary.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 17.—President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and National President Mitchell and National Treasurer Wilson of the United Mine Workers, together with the district presidents of the same organization in the anthracite region, were in secret conference here. After the meeting none of those who participated were in a communicative mood. President

Mitchell said it was the regular monthly meeting of the executive board of the United Mine Workers, and Mr. Gompers and Mr. Wilson happening to be coming this way, slipped over. Mr. Gompers was a little more talkative than the others. When asked what was the object of his visit to strike headquarters he replied: "I simply came up here to look over the strike situation. I find everything in excellent shape. The strike is being ably conducted, and I learn that there is ample relief for all the strikers."

Mr. Gompers was asked whether the federation will be assessed to support the miners. He said the trades unions now comprising the federation are making voluntary contributions to help the miners, and that if it is necessary to give additional aid it will be done.

MAKE NEW RECORD IN CATTLE

Kansas City Yards Receive 34,650 Head in One Day.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 17.—Receipts of cattle at the stock yards Sept. 16 exceeded 30,000, breaking all records, and at the close of business 34,650 head were in the yards. Most of the cattle are thin, the range country in Kansas furnishing large numbers. Buyers from all over the central west are here to purchase stockers and feeders. The farmers have a surplus of this cattle in spite of the big corn crop. Seventeen head of native steers, averaging 1,226 lbs., sold here at \$8.75, the highest price for beef ever received in this market. The cattle were sent by C. C. Slaughter of Dallas, Tex. They were fed at Council Grove, Kan., and in twenty months gained 942 pounds.

Drought in Antipodes.

Sydney, N. S. W., Sept. 17.—Owing to the continued drought in New South Wales the authorities have prohibited the use of plunge baths. The police have been instructed to prevent this and other waste of water.

Durand Takes a Drive.

Flint, Mich., Sept. 17.—Judge Durand, democratic candidate for governor, was out yesterday for the first time since stricken two weeks ago, and was given a drive of an hour about the city.

Volcanoes Awake.

Manila, Sept. 17.—The Macon, Taal and Balusan volcanoes are unusually active. The Balusan volcano had been inactive for years. No seismic disturbances have resulted.

Boxers Kill Converts.

Pekin, Sept. 17.—Catholics here understand that from 300 to 1,000 converts have been killed by boxers in the province of Sze-Chuen.

Halfred's Comeback.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 17.—The Southern railroad has purchased Port Chalmette, thus acquiring ample export terminals in New Orleans. This confirms the reported absorption of the New Orleans & Northeastern by the Southern railway.

MINING SUSPECTS FREED

Grand Jury Votes "No Bills" After Hearing Witnesses.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—Oscar Thompson, Edward Counselman and "Dad" Claffy, the Bartholin suspects, were released from the county jail, the grand jury having voted no bills in their case. The jury heard but twelve of the thirty witnesses who were at the Criminal Court building ready to testify. Police Lieutenant Backus was the first one called, and then the jurors sent for Mrs. Mary Tallerday, who said she saw Claffy and Thompson acting suspiciously the morning after the disappearance of Minnie Mitchell. No friends or relatives of the prisoners were at the jail door to greet them upon their release. Counselman, who said he was going to his home in Kensington, talked for publication for the first time since immediately after his arrest. He declared he had been ill treated at the Hyde Park station, but he added he supposed the police were trying to do their duty in seeking a confession from him.

Directors for Ann Arbor Road.

New York, Sept. 17.—H. W. Ashley, J. Edward Simmons, C. J. Lawrence and S. C. Reynolds have been elected directors of the Ann Arbor railroad, to succeed C. W. Burt, Amos F. Eno, G. W. Quintard and C. D. Stewart. This road was recently purchased by the Goulds. President Ramsey of the Wabash has been elected president.

University's Gain.

Champaign, Ill., Sept. 17.—The opening of the University of Illinois was marked by the largest advance registration in its history. The gain over last year is estimated at 500. The prospects are for the largest freshman class ever assembled in the school.

Regaining Lost Diamond.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 17.—Governor Savage lost a diamond on the street, the jewel having been presented to him by Buffalo Bill. He discovered it on the sidewalk after some hours of search.

Attacks Wife and Daughter.

Detroit, Sept. 17.—Ernest Mansfield, a painter, attacked his wife and his 14-year-old daughter with a meat cleaver. The girl was probably fatally injured. The wife was only slightly hurt.

Supposed Dead Man Returns.

Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 17.—The Rev. Hardiman, colored, who was reported killed in the Boer war, returned alive to his wife and children. He had been wounded.

Woman Shoots Herself.

Hampton, Ia., Sept. 17.—Mrs. Georgia Day, wife of U. S. Day, shot herself through the heart at her home near here, dying instantly.

Death of Mrs. Bowen.

Paris, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Bowen, wife of the deputy United States consul-general, J. Allison Bowen, died after a long and painful illness.

Widow Injures Man.

Paris, Sept. 17.—While President Loubet was returning from a shooting party at Rambouillet he found a bicyclist lying badly injured in the road. The president insisted upon taking the man into the presidential brake and drove him to his home.

Shoots His Daughter.

Elrod, Ind., Sept. 17.—Mrs. Minnie Robinson was shot by her father, F. A. Rheam, and will die. Rheam and Robinson quarreled over the woman's board bill, and the bullet that struck Mrs. Robinson was intended for her husband.

Merchant Disappears.

Havana, Sept. 17.—Samuel F. Nichols of Brooklyn, a member of the Havana Mercantile company, has mysteriously disappeared. He was last seen in the park. His bank account was untouched.

ECZEMA.

That torturing and disfiguring disease has its cause in an impure condition of the blood. The impure condition of the blood often arises from a diseased condition of the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition.

When digestion is imperfect, the nutrition of the body is inadequate to its needs. The blood becomes thin, poisons accumulate in it, and these poisons often manifest themselves in some eruptive disease.

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition.

It eliminates poisonous substances from the blood, purifying it and increasing its quantity and richness. The "Discovery" cures perfectly diseases of the

blood and other diseases which originate in a diseased condition of the stomach.

The "Discovery" is absolutely a non-alcoholic and non-narcotic medicine.

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Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are powerful aids to the cleansing of the clogged system. By all dealers in medicine.

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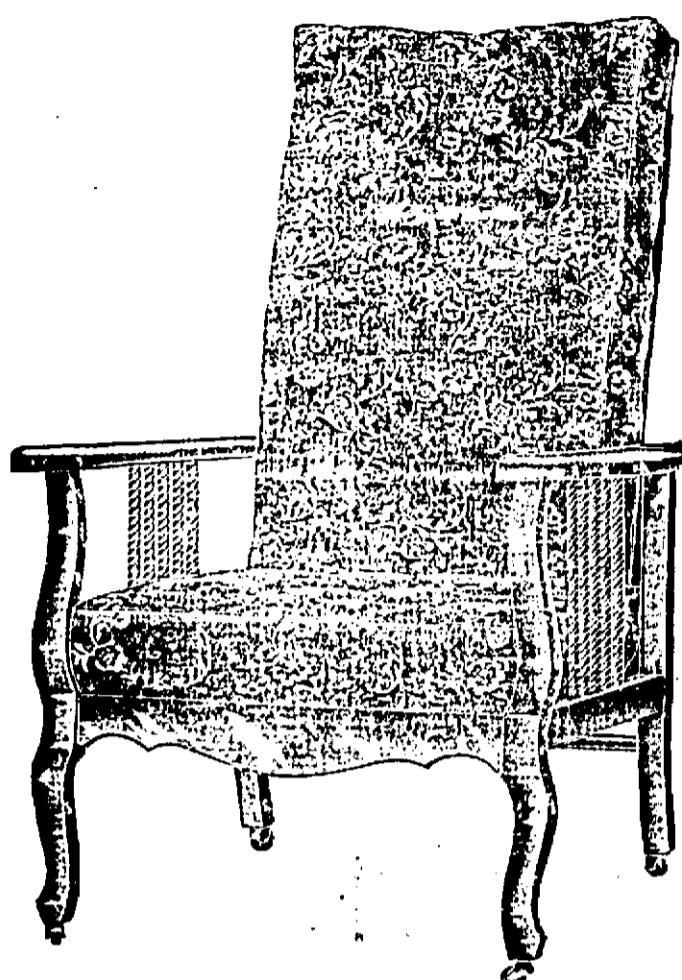
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AT W. H. ASHCRAFT'S.

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Chamber Suits and Morris' Chairs.

We have the largest variety of Morris Chairs ever offered in this city and will cut the price very low.



A Nice
Solid Oak,
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WEST MILWAUKEE STREET.

Undertaking.

LIBRARY WALL IS BEING CLEANSED

Discolorations of the Bricks Are Taken Out by the Use of Acid.

Within the last few days the work of cleansing the brick and stone work of the library has been begun and nearly completed. Inside the building operations are being pushed rapidly. The lathing will soon be in place and the electric wiring and piping for the electric and gas lights is nearly done. The roofing arrived this morning.

FROELICH WINS OUT IN THE SIXTH

Barney Withdraws from the Contest Against Secretary of State for Congressional Nomination.

(Special To The Gazette). Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 17.—William H. Froelich, secretary of state was this morning nominated for congress by the republicans of the Sixth congressional district by unanimous vote.

W. R. C. Sale: The ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps extend an invitation to everyone interested in their order to donate clothing and articles of all kinds for their rummage sale. Watch for announcement of time and place.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT.

From the Hadden Brothers Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.						
C. L. Cutler resident manager.	Open	High	Low	Close		
WEAT—Sept.	124	124	124	124		
Oct.	124	124	124	124		
CORN—Sept.	584	584	584	584		
Oct.	584	584	584	584		
OATS—Sept.	324	324	324	324		
Oct.	324	324	324	324		
PORK—Sept.	16.27	16.27	16.15	16.15		
Oct.	16.27	16.27	16.15	16.15		
LARD—Sept.	10.85	10.85	10.75	10.75		
Oct.	10.85	10.85	10.75	10.75		
BEEF—Sept.	10.85	10.85	10.85	10.85		
Oct.	10.85	10.85	10.85	10.85		
CHICAGO CAR LOT RECEIPTS.						
To-day. Contract. Est. Tomorrow.						
Wheat.... 272 8 182						
Corn.... 181 8 100						
Oats.... 209 8 150						
NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat).						
Today Last Week Year Ago						
Chicago.... 203 181 362						
Minneapolis.... 375 184 293						
Duluth.... 331 161 169						
LIVE STOCK MARKETS.						
PEORIA CATTLE SHEEP						
Chicago.... 1000 1000 2400						
Kan. City.... 1100 1100 2000						
Omaha.... 8000 8000 10000						
Market steady steady						
Calves & Heifers 250¢ 8 25						
Mixed & h.... 200¢ 7 00 Stockers... 250¢ 8 50						
Good heavy 100¢ 8 50 Texans.... 300¢ 8 50						
Roll heavy 100¢ 7 50 Sheep.... 400¢ 8 50						
Light 150¢ 7 50 Lamb.... 500¢ 8 50						
Bulk.... 7 000 7 00						
Live Hogs today 1000¢ Est. tomorrow 2300¢						
Left over 500¢						

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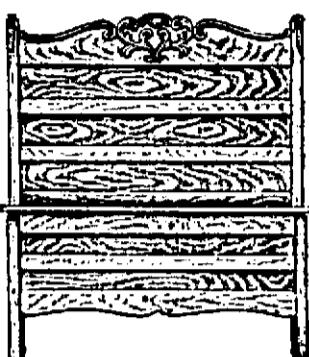
Just the kind
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Boys' - - - 1.25 to 2.00

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\$12.25



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Colored Dress Goods.

Many new lines of Fall Dress Goods have been added to our stock. Among the most wanted kinds we make mention of:

Zibelines, in brown, green, blue and black, on sale at per yard, ..

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